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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated February 21, 2006, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Discussion of Amendment begins on page 7 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.